adequately imprinted thereon, or on a label securely affixed thereto, the designation "chewing tobacco" or "snuff." As an alternative, packages of chewing tobacco may be designated "Tax Class C," and packages of snuff may be designated "Tax Class M."

(b) Product weight. Every package of chewing tobacco or snuff shall, before removal under this part, have adequately imprinted thereon, or on a label securely affixed thereto, a clear statement of the actual pounds and ounces of the product contained therein. As an alternative, the shipping cases containing packages of chewing tobacco or snuff may, before removal, have adequately imprinted thereon, or on a label securely affixed thereto, a clear statement, in pounds and ounces, of the total weight of the product, the tax class of the product, and the total number of the packages of product contained therein.

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(Sec. 202, Pub. L. 85-859, 72 Stat. 1422 (26 U.S.C. 5723))

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§45.44 Notice for cigars.

Before removal under this part, every package of cigars shall have adequately imprinted on it, or on a label securely affixed to it—

- (a) The designation "cigars";
- (b) The quantity of cigars contained in the package; and
- (c) For small cigars, the classification of the product for tax purposes (i.e., either "small" or "little").

(Sec. 202, Pub. L. 85–859, 72 Stat. 1422 (26 U.S.C. 5723))

[T.D. ATF-80, 46 FR 18312, Mar. 24, 1981]

§45.45 Notice for cigarettes.

Every package of cigarettes shall, before removal under this part, have adequately imprinted thereon, or on a label securely affixed thereto, the designation "cigarettes", the quantity of such product contained therein, and the classification for tax purposes, i.e., for small cigarettes, either "small" or "Class A", and for large cigarettes, either "large" or "Class B".

(72 Stat. 1422; 26 U.S.C. 5723)

[27 FR 4478, May 10, 1962. Redesignated at 40 FR 16835, Apr. 15, 1975]

§ 45.45a Notice for pipe tobacco.

- (a) Product designation. Every package of pipe tobacco shall, before removal subject to tax, have adequately imprinted thereon, or on a label securely affixed thereto, the designation "pipe tobacco." As an alternative, packages of pipe tobacco may be designated "Tax Class L."
- (b) *Product weight.* Every package of pipe tobacco shall, before removal subject to tax, have adequately imprinted thereon, or on a label securely affixed thereto, a clear statement of the actual pounds and ounces of the product contained therein.

[T.D. ATF-289, 54 FR 48842, Nov. 27, 1989]

\$45.45b Notice for roll-your-own to-bacco.

- (a) Product designation. Before removal subject to tax, roll-your-own to-bacco must have adequately imprinted on, or on a label securely affixed to, the package, the designation roll-your-own tobacco' or "cigarette tobacco" or "Tax Class J."
- (b) *Product weight.* Before removal subject to tax, roll-your-own tobacco must have a clear statement of the actual weight in pounds and ounces of the product in the package. This statement must be adequately imprinted on, or on a label securely affixed to, the package.

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§45.45c Package use-up rule.

- (a) A manufacturer must have used such packaging for roll-your-own to-bacco before January 1, 2000.
- (b) A manufacturer of roll-your-own tobacco, may continue to place roll-your-own tobacco in packages that do not meet the marking requirements of \$\$40.212\$ and \$40.216b(b)\$ until April 1, 2000.
- (c) A manufacturer of roll-your-own tobacco may continue to place roll-